



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of
KIRT E. WHITESIDE
Serial No. 09/780,603
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For MECHANIC'S CREEPER

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Sir:

The Applicant's attorney hereby requests an extension of time,
pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), to allow the filing of the Applicant's enclosed
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A check in the amount of \$55.00 is submitted herewith to cover
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